



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Wierer Jr., Jonathan J.; Krames, Michael R.; Rudaz, Serge L.
Assignee: Lumileds Lighting, U.S., LLC
Title: Multi-Layer Highly Reflective Ohmic Contacts For Semiconductor Devices
Serial No.: 09/469,652 Filing Date: December 22, 1999
Examiner: C. Chu Group Art Unit: 2815
Docket No.: M-9197 US

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MARCH 28, 2001

Dear Sir:

This is a response to the March 28, 2001 Office Action, which has a statutorily shortened period for response that ends June 28, 2001.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE DRAWINGS

Please amend Figures 3 and 4 as follows:

The label of "Figure 3" was amended to read "Figure 4" and the label of "Figure 4" was amended to read "Figure 3". Please see the redlines, attached hereto as Attachment A.

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (in duplicate);
- (3) Response to Office Action Dated March 28, 2001;

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

| Claims Remaining <u>After Amendment</u> | | Highest No. <u>Previously Paid For</u> | | Present <u>Extra</u> | | Rate | | Additional <u>Fee</u> | |
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Fee of _____ for the first filing of one or more multiple dependent claims per application \$

Fee for Request for Extension of Time \$

Total additional fee for this Amendment: \$ 0.00

Total additional fee for this Amendment: **\$** **0.00**

Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed document(s) after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, an extension of time is hereby requested.

Please charge our Deposit Account No. 19-2386 in the amount of \$ 0.00

Also, charge any additional fees required and credit any overpayment to our Deposit

Account No. 19-2386. Total

Total: \$ 0.00

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Respectfully submitted,

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